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Deadline Set For Orators

Seven Enter Hearst Contest

Saint Mary's representatives to the fifth annual Hearst oratorical contest will be chosen not later than April 10, it was announced yesterday by Dr. Louis LeFevre, faculty moderator of debating activities. A definite date will be announced later, Dr. LeFevre said.

He disclosed that seven students already have expressed intentions to participate in the contest, the subject of which is, "Patrick Henry, Patriot and Statesman."

Winner of the elimination contests will take part in the district contest, to be held April 18 at the University of San Francisco.

THIRD CONSECUTIVE YEAR

The occasion of the contest marks the third consecutive year that Saint Mary's students have entered.

The year 1945 saw ASSMC president, Stanley Parmisano, win the college contest and then go on to enter and win the national oratorical contest sponsored by the Hearst newspapers, in New York City. He was honored by the California state senate, which presented him with a plaque in recognition of his outstanding achievement.

Dr. LeFevre expressed the hope that many students who have a desire to participate in the contest would contact him at his office. He further revealed that the contest would be of invaluable experience to the college student.

SIX MINUTES IN LENGTH

Regulation regarding the contest were specified by Dr. LeFevre: The oration should not extend beyond a six minute time limit. The speech should be submitted to his office at least before March 14, so as to be approved and rehearsed before the contest date.

Any student attending Saint Mary's College is eligible for entry into the contest.

The oration must be an original, and pertain to the subject.

Weekly Talks In Chapel Continue

Father John McCracken of Saint Augustine's Church in Oakland last Wednesday evening conducted a second in a series of sermons on marriage as part of the scheduled lenten services. The topic of Father McCracken's sermon, in the student chapel, was "The Properties of Marriage." Preceding his sermon, the rosary was said, and benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament concluded this regular Wednesday evening lenten service.

The regular Stations of the Cross are made by the entire student-body in the chapel every Friday at 11:30 in the morning. A new feature of this lenten service is the recently obtained Franciscan manuals which was first proposed by Father Brendan Mitchell of Saint Elizabeth's parish in Oakland.

QUESTION BOX

On this coming Sunday Father Moss, Saint Mary's student chaplain, will conduct his popular Question Box at Saint Augustine's Church in Oakland. This interesting mode of moral instruction, which has become a vital part of Saint Mary's religious program, was discontinued here at the College recently and will not be resumed until after Easter.

The chief purpose of the Question Box is to answer any perplexing problems which a Saint Mary's student might have. Both Father Moss and Brother Robert are present to clarify such problems. Non-Catholic students have been invited to attend these meetings.

Dominican Dance

Dominican College will be host to Saint Mary's College at a dance to be held Friday night March 7 on the San Rafael campus.

There will be a limited number of Gaels invited and all students wishing to attend should submit their names to their class president as soon as possible.

Gael Thespians Will Perform in Oakland, S.F.

Four performances of the play, "Everyman" will be given in Oakland by the Dramatics Society of Saint Mary's College. These performances will take place in Oakland and San Francisco prior to Easter vacation. The plans were revealed at the Dramatics Society meeting by Mr. Yale Meyer, society moderator.

Tryouts for roles in the play have already commenced. Among those vying for roles are Bert Callen, Paul Bernardis, Manuel Mencarini, Stanley Parmisano, Pat Henderson, and Bill Brennan.

The Gael actors will supply dramatic presentations for the Catholic Inter-Collegiate Council. Included in these plans are scenes from the aforementioned, "Everyman," to be enacted at the next conference of the CIC.

The Saint Mary's thespians plan to present a second production in May, possibly "Henry V of Spain." Further plans of the society are to maintain the same organization within the club wherein no officers are elected and policies are formed by majority opinion.

Bilotti Makes It For Father's Day

The football prospects of the 1967 Gael varsity were brightened considerably this week when junior varsity Coach A. Anthony Bilotti announced the birth of a son, Dennis Allen Bilotti.

Dennis Allen was born Tuesday, February 24, at the Samuel Merritt hospital in Oakland. He tipped the scales at seven pounds ten ounces.

Mrs. Bilotti has returned from the hospital and is resting at their home in the East Bay.

Contra Costa Postmasters Will Meet

Brother Josephus, Saint Mary's College postmaster this week announced that the initial meeting for the organization of old and new postmasters of the county would be held in Lafayette on March 6.

Miss Emelia S. Schutt, Lafayette postmistress, will act as hostess for the meeting and dinner. Guest of the local mail distributors will be Miss Mayme L. Jory, vice-president of the state chapter of the National Association of Postmasters. She will speak on the necessity of joining the organization.

Brother Josephus is the membership chairman of the Contra Costa county branch of the Association.

Senior Talks Set for April

Second talk of the transition series recently inaugurated by the alumni association for seniors will be given on Friday, April 11.

Because of Friday devotions, no talks will be given during Lent, Fr. Edmund Moss, student chaplain, announced.

This series has as its purpose the acquainting of seniors with some of the problems they will encounter in their chosen field after graduating from Saint Mary's.

The first talk was given by Mr. Louis G. Conlan, principal of Mission high school in San Francisco.

Mr. Conlan gave his audience a practical picture of the problems confronting those who would seek teaching as a vocation. He took the most difficult problems in the field of education and explained how they could be solved by diligent application to duty.

Farnham Edits His First Issue

First issue of The Del Norte Triplicate of Crescent City under the editorship of George Farnham rolls off the presses today.

The ex-Collegian editor reports: "Crescent City is a fine little town with prospects of amazing growth in a short time. Hope I can fill the bill here, as The Triplicate offers a perfect opportunity."

Debating To Be Revived By New Saint Mary's Prof.

A new addition to the faculty of Saint Mary's has been made in the person of Professor Francis Starrs, who graduated from Saint Mary's in December of 1943. Although he was in the class of 1944 he received his diploma in '43 through the speeded up wartime education program.

Since leaving college Mr. Starrs spent two and a half years in the Navy, training crews for anti-submarine warfare. He was discharged with the rank of lieutenant (j.g.).

DEBATED HERE

While in college he was very prominent in debating. He won the Sullivan oratorical contest sponsored by the Y.M.I. of San Francisco. Mr. Starrs also took part in the Foche Debate team against Santa Clara. This was one of the most popular activities at that time, and although non-existent now, it is to be revived soon.

Starrs was president of the A.P.G.U. while in school and is at present planning the reorganization of the club. Other activities that Prof. Starrs participated in were writing the Bystander for the Collegian as well

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as other feature writing. He was also vice-president of the student body in his senior year.

Prof. Starrs said that it was wonderful being back at Saint Mary's, and expressed the hope that he could help bring debating back to its former prominence.

SKI PREXY — Tom Storer, head of the controversial ski club, takes advantage of the sport it offers.

Urge Rules For Ski Club

Activity Praised By Brother Albert

Suggestions which he thought should be followed if the ski club is to become a permanent student body activity were presented by Brother Albert at a meeting this week of the ski club.

"When the idea of forming a ski club was first brought up," Brother Albert said, "no one seemed to be too sure that a club could be formed. The idea didn't seem too sound at the time, but now, through the fine leadership shown, a ski club has been formed and the college would like to see it endure."

"The ski club is a fine activity, and if it is to continue there must be cooperation among its members. At all times it must be remembered that while at the lodge, you are not there as individuals but as a group under one name—the Saint Mary's Ski Club. Your action as an individual while at the lodge are not reflected upon you but upon the 'Saint Mary's Ski Club.'

ACTIONS WILL DETERMINE

"Since all of you would like to see the ski club installed as a permanent activity of the student body," continued Brother Albert, "your actions in the future and the steps which you take to insure the stability of the club are the things which will help in the forming of a lasting ski organization."

Tom Storer, president of the ski club, then outlined a few rules which he thought should be enforced at the lodge.

He emphasized the fact that everyone must do his part, dividing the work among all instead of leaving everything up to a few. Storer also suggested that a curfew should be made but this met with some opposition, so the rule was modified.

CURFEW PLAN DEFEATED

Instead of a strict curfew, a penalty will be exacted from anyone who makes unnecessary noise coming in after hours.

He also made the announcement that those persons who are not members of the club and wish to go skiing may still do so for the sum of $5.00 to be paid at least by the Thursday before the weekend they wish to go.

Fourth Estate Will Discuss Press Convention

To discuss the forthcoming Catholic prep journalism convention, a meeting of the Fourth Estate will be held in the Public Relations office next Tuesday at 12:20 p.m. with President Jerry Murphy presiding.

A general outline of the May 17 convention will be sketched and names of prospective speakers from the professional newspaper field will be studied.

The principal speaker will address the prep delegates during a luncheon in the student-body dining room.

A scholarship to Saint Mary's will be given to the outstanding boy journalist attending this year's convention. Trophies will be presented to papers gaining first and second places.

Year's Hottest Day

Monday, February 24 was the hottest day of the year, reports Brother Benedict, the campus weather-man. Lowest temperature during the past week was 34 degrees.

Heavy fog blanketed St. Mary's on the 20th, clearing by 10 a.m. A light fog on the morning of the 21st cleared by 9 a.m. Prevailing winds were from the north during most of the week.

Spanish Club Elects Head

M. Mencarini New President

"El Circulo Hispanico" is the newest addition to the list of campus clubs, following an organizational meeting this week of Spanish-speaking students attending the college.

Formerly the Spanish club was called "Los Hidalgos," but the new members elected to change the name to "El Circulo Hispanico," meaning the "Spanish Circle."

Officers who were elected include Manuel Ma. Mencarini, president; Silas Garcia, vice-president; Antonio J. Garcia, secretary; Eloy Vigil, treasurer; Manuel Lujan, representatives to the ex-council, and Mr. J. O. Asturias, moderator.

"El Circulo Hispanico" members will observe and study old and new Spanish culture and customs through research and various other means.

Mr. Asturias suggested several activities which could be undertaken by the club as conducting meetings in a Spanish atmosphere, singing of Spanish songs, enactment of old Spanish customs, talks on various aspects of Spanish life, guest speakers could be invited, movies could be obtained and shown at the meetings. This would help toward a better understanding of Spanish culture and customs.

Letters will be written to bay area colleges and universities which have Spanish organizations in order to develop contact with various groups which could benefit the campus club.

Social activities with other Spanish organizations are contemplated. Dances in traditional costumes in observance of Spanish customs and holidays are planned.

A meeting will be held next Tuesday. All students who speak Spanish, are taking Spanish, or are interested in developing a more thorough knowledge of the Spanish speaking countries are invited to attend the meeting.

Conference Plans Active New Program

That the Saint Mary's conference of the Saint Vincent De Paul society plans an active Catholic Action program for the spring semester was indicated recently at the quarterly breakfast of the society at Saint Leo's Church in Oakland.

Manuel Mencarini, president of the conference, and Silas Garcia were delegates at the affair.

Mencarini spoke before the combined delegates of the various conferences on the topic, "The Propaganda Function of Our Local Conference."

Another indication of the sizeable program planned by the group is the increase in membership.

The members are assigned projects weekly. Such projects include the distribution of Catholic magazines and newspapers transporting children from the canyon to Mass on Sundays, and keeping the chapel pamphlet rack supplied with booklets on popular Catholic topics. Reports show that the most well read pamphlets at Saint Mary's are those on Communism, while the Catholic Digest is becoming increasingly popular.

The season of lent has provided a greater field of activity for the group. Members of the society, according to Brother Bede Edward, will visit every store in Danville, Walnut Creek, Lafayette, Moraga, and Orinda in an attempt to have all the stores close for the three hours on Good Friday.

Irish Saint To Be Feted By Eire Oge

Plans for an all-school celebration of Saint Patrick's day are underway by the Eire Oge society following a meeting of the organization this week. A lecture on the historical and cultural aspects of Irish civilization is also contemplated.

John McDermott was selected by the 22 attending to resume the position of president, which he held when the club disbanded in 1944.

"The rebirth of the Eire Oge society after three years of wartime hibernation is another indication of the return of the extra-curricular activities to pre-war status," stated Brother Matthew, faculty moderator. "It is hoped that the Eire Oge will continue to cultiviate an interest in the political, social and cultural life of Eire which characterized it before the war."

S. M. Represented At Irish Meeting

Brother Austin will be guest speaker of the Irish Literary and Historical society's Saint Mary's night in San Francisco tonight.

Jerry Murphy will M.C. the program which will feature Joe Zanetti and Larry Garetto in an accordion duet, Tommy Burns singing several classical selections, and Stan Parmisano reciting, "My Dark Rosaleen," by James Mangin.

Also attending the program from Saint Mary's will be a special committee from the Eire Oge.

Record Player Okehed

Two Dissenters Easily Subdued

In an almost unanimous vote the student body this week decided upon immediate purchase of a phonograph for the use of the Saint Mary's students at social functions and record recitals.

In spite of heated opposition on the part of freshman representatives John Sullivan and Archie Dessert, the remaining members of the ex-Council hurriedly voted the measure through.

Stan Parmisano, student body president, in announcing the results of his committee investigation during the past week, revealed favorable evidence had been shown establishing the necessity for the college addition. He remarked that the price would range between $250 and $300.

DISCUSSION BROUGHT UP

The question was brought up whether or not the Ex-Council felt it within the means and appropriate for the Associated Students to purchase. The suggestion that further study into the plan should be made was revoked by the motion that the student body purchase the phonograph.

Parmisano declared that the phonograph, an obvious necessity, would be a lasting contribution to Saint Mary's by the present student body. Dessert, in opposition, stated that it was his belief the students would not receive lasting benefit of the machine and that it was not a memento worthy of the present class. He added the opinion that purchase should be made by the college administration. John Maffeo stressed the point that if the students bought it, it would become their possession and readily available to them, resulting in a minimum of confusion and controversy over its use.

COUNTER-PROPOSAL

The motion was brought to a vote. With the motion passed, Sullivan moved that a committee be appointed to approach the college administration with the proposal that it contribute a certain amount to the purchase. Parmisano made the point of order that the motion that the student body retain the entire cost had already been passed, and that Sullivan's motion was out of order.

The original committee of Parmisano and Frank Lazio was directed to proceed with the purchase.

Student body treasurer, Dick Montgomery, announced that with the sale of 125 student body cards, and with bills still to be paid on the welcome dance, the treasury to date had over $1,000 on hand. He added that a $500 deficit incurred by the ski club would probably have to be met.

Maffeo suggested that the ski club president be brought before the Ex-Council to explain the reason why the ski-club debt was still in existence.

INVESTIGATE TOWLS

The report by Parmisano that issuance of towels at the swimming pool would cease brought on heated comment by members of the council. The reasons for the sudden change were instantly demanded, and a committee was appointed to investigate them.

As a point of information, never entirely clarified, Sullivan asked just how much power the Ex-Council has with respect to such a sudden withdrawal of student benefits by the administration.

DARK ROOM LOAN

Montgomery concluded the meeting with a motion that a committee be appointed to inquire into the feasibility of making a loan to Brother Albert for the construction of a darkroom for the use of students and administration. Cost would approximate $300, but Brother Albert claimed the debt would be repaid within two years at most.

A motion that the loan be voted upon immediately, though nearly accepted, was refused, and a committee was appointed.

Ray Rugani, senior president, made the motion, unanimously passed, that succeeding meetings be held at 12:20 p.m. each Monday, effective immediately.

March "Brick Pile" to Go on Sale Tuesday

March brickpile . . Editor Asks For Student Support

"Support your student magazine. The success of The Brickpile depends upon each Saint Mary's man."

With these words Jerry Murphy, editor of The Brickpile, announced that the March issue of the undergraduate magazine would go on sale next Tuesday, March 4, on the campus. Cost of the magazine will be 25 cents.

The Brickpile, published by student members of the Fourth Estate, will present 15 articles, poems, and short stories by Saint Mary's college writers. A special feature by Jack Henning '38 concerning Alumni re-organization plans will also be included.

Highlights of the coming issue are "Battle Cry of '47," a humorous poem by John Sutthoff and Fred Mullen, "Every Leaf Must Fall," short story by John Styslinger, and "Don Jose Moraga —A Tribute," by Don Rauber.

NEW COVER

An added feature of the March issue will be a "slick substance" type cover, in contrast to the rough-type cover used in the last issue. Also in use for the first time is the new cover design which will characterize future editions of The Brickpile.

In other articles, Dale Rasmussen, Gael representative to the Catholic Intercollegiate Council, tells of the purposes of that organization; Bill Kelly tells of student life, and Stan Parmisano and Dan Arzac contribute poems.

Members of The Brickpile's circulation staff will canvass student dormitories Tuesday to promote sales. Day students may purchase the magazine in the student store.

Editor of Magazine to Be on Radio

Walt DeFaria, a sophomore from Sacramento, takes over the production job on "Saint Mary's on the Air" next Monday night at 10:45 o'clock over KROW and will have as his guest, Jerry Murphy, editor of The Brickpile, student literary quarterly.

One of the most active students on the campus, Murphy will discuss both The Brickpile and his weekly Collegian column, "Collegiana." His appearance on the program has been time to coincide with the second issue of The Brickpile this year.

Difficulties of running an organization such as Saint Mary's were discussed by Mr. Gerald P. Martin, college administrative officer, on last Monday night's program.

Mr. Martin also praised the program and its staff, saying: ". . . (they) have done a splendid job . . . and are to be complimented for the fine spirit they have shown in carrying it out."

Visitor General Ends Visit To Scholasticate

Brother Cornelius Luke, Visitor General of the Christian Brothers, concluded his official visit to the Scholasticate this week.

He expressed himself as being well pleased with the training the student brothers are receiving at Saint Mary's college especially in the spiritual life from which the brothers receive their primary motivation for the work of Christian education.

Brother Luke felt that such training was enhanced here at Saint Mary's because of the quiet and solitude surrounding the living quarters of the Student Brothers in the back of the campus.

Brother Luke is continuing his official visitations with the junior and senior novices at Mont La Salle, Napa.

Dr. Hagerty Will Address 2 Groups

Dr. James L. Hagerty, head of the school of liberal arts, will address two groups at Lafayette and Stockton within the next few days.

"The Knight and Day" will be the topic of his dissertation at the annual Knights of Columbus breakfast in Stockton next Sunday morning. Robert Franke is chairman of the program.

Next Tuesday at the Community church hall in Lafayette, Dr. Hagerty will present a series of readings from the classics at the Lafayette forum. Mrs. W. E. Deitrick, chairman, will introduce the Saint Mary's educator.

Collegian Meeting

All members of the Collegian staff, both reporters and circulation men, are requested to attend the weekly meeting held in the office at 12:30.

REPLACES SPERRY — Tony Poshepny was recently appointed Sophomore class president to replace Trude Sperry, who left last semester.

Soph Prexy's Office Filled

The vacancy in the Sophomore president's chair was filled this week when Vice President Tony Poshepny took over the office until next fall.

This action became necessary when the elected Sophomore president, Trude Sperry, left school at the end of last term.

The new president said that tentative plans have been made for a Sophomere dance before summer.

Poshepny speaking on behalf of the Sophomore class said, "Our class has been among the foremost in campus activities this year. The intra-mural football championship was won and coached by Sophomores. The most profitable dance this year, The Freshman Welcome Dance last fall, which netted a profit of three hundred dollars for the treasury, was sponsored by our class. He concluded by saying, "We aim to continue our fine record throughout the year."

The new sophomore president was officially welcomed into the Ex-Council at last Monday's meeting.

Tabernacle Presented to Small Chapel

Father Edmund Moss, student chaplain, recently was the recipient of a new all-metal tabernacle, the gift of Mrs. Andrew Welch of San Mateo.

Mrs. Welch, long a friend of Saint Mary's, was anxious to do something to encourage devotion to the Blessed Sacrament. After a consultation with Father Moss she decided that a permanent tabernacle, which would house the Sacred Species, would be the most appropriate donation.

The new tabernacle is being installed in the De LaSalle chapel this week. The delay was brought about during the wait for the completion of the veils which were made by the Dominican Sisters of Saint Albert's College in Oakland. The veils were made to cover the tabernacle and are in the colors of the liturgical year.

Last week nine benches with kneelers arrived from Saint Mary's College high school where they had been stored since the navy moved into the college. They are at present being repaired and repainted for use in the De LaSalle chapel.

Additions and repairs will be finished at the end of this week, completing work on the chapel.

Henry V To Be Next CIC Event

Nine Saint Mary's Men at Communion

Henry V, the technicolor movie version of William Shakespeare's historical play, as presented by the Theatre Guild, now showing at the Stage Door theatre in San Francisco, is the current activity of the CIC, and is scheduled for Monday night, March 3, 1947.

Reserved seats for this performance for all those students of Saint Mary's College interested may be obtained for $2.00 from Dale Rasmussen. For those desiring transportation, a bus schedule will be posted on the bulletin board on Monday morning.

Dale Rasmussen, representative for the CIC, announced that the deadline for the Book Drive being conducted by the CIC, in collaboration with the Dante Club, has been extended to March 15. "The drive is for technical books rather than the fictional type," he said. All those books donated will be sent to Italy," he added, "and it is hoped that the worthiness of the cause will induce many donations."

Two other CIC attractions for the students of Saint Mary's College are the French play to be given on March 11 at the San Francisco College for Women, and a special Pan-American day program is being prepared for April 16, which should be of particular interest to the members of the Spanish Club. This program will be held at Belmont College.

The mass offered in Saint Ignatius Church in San Francisco on February 23 at which 150 members of the various Catholic colleges and universities were in attendance, was claimed a success.

NINE ATTENDED

Following the mass, breakfast was served at 11 a.m. in the Colonial room of the Saint Francis hotel.

A speech entitled "Catholic Influence on a Communist" was delivered by the guest speaker, Father Keller. Brothere Bede Edward also gave a short address to those attending.

Rasmussen expressed his appreciation for the interest shown by the students in all CIC activities. He also announced that a meeting of the CIC would be held here at Saint Mary's on March 7.

Dramateurs Disclose Schedule

Members of the little theatre group in Orinda, the Dramateurs, outlined their tentative schedule of productions for the coming year at a meeting held at the Orinda country club recently.

Planned for public presentation are the plays: "Night of January Sixteenth," April 18, 19; "No Time for Comedy," June 13, 14; "Night Must Fall," September 12, 13; and "The Royal Family," November 14 and 15.

Its last presentation, held at the Acalenes high school was well-accepted by those in attendance.

Present lack of stage facilities have forced the group to go outside the village to put on its plays. Plans for an Orinda Community Center may alleviate that condition in time for the first production, however.

Music plays an important part in the lives of the student brothers, especially during this season of Lent. A thorough study of both the theory and practice of Gregorian chant forms an important part of their scholastic program. Every week of the year they sing a Missa Cantata when mass is said in their chapel by Father Fulton, O. P., of Saint Albert's House of Studies, Oakland.

At the present time the brothers are augmenting the students' choir at 9:00 a. m. mass by singing the Proper. On Sunday afternoon at 5:30 they sing Vespers and Complin. Any students who are interested in assisting at this devotion may contact the student brothers' director, Brother Bertram.

Accident Victim To Resume Study

Louis Colzani, Saint Mary's student seriously injured in an auto accident last week, has surprised doctors at the Concord General hospital with his powers of recovery. Although he was in a precarious condition when operated upon last Thursday, he is expected to be released from the hospital sometime this week.

School authorities explained that arrangements have been made whereby Colzani will spend about a week in the school infirmary recuperating. Then he is expected to be able to resume his classes. Since the period of time involved is so short, he can continue his regular schedule.

The accident which nearly proved fatal to Colzani occurred last Thursday when a car carrying four Saint Mary's men collided head on with another car in the vicinity of Lafayette. Joseph Rodirquez, Theodore Lombard, and Anthony Mello emerged from the wreck with only slight cuts. Colzani, seriously hurt, was rushed in a Lafayette ambulance to Concord.

Art Group To Sponsor Chapel Tours

For the benefit of new students a tour of the chapel will be sponsored by the art club. The time and date of this activity will be announced beforehand on the bulletin board. Brother Cornelius, who heads the club, conducted two trips through the school chapel last semester. He explained in detail the development of the architectural ideas which resulted in the modified mission style. In addition, he touched upon much of the building's history.

In all, the club met four times last semester. Two of these were for the tours. Then, twice meetings were held in the art room. Outstanding among the discussions was the survey of great American artists and their works. The club also studied Chinese and Japanese art. A display of Oriental art is still being exhibited in the art room.

Despite these activities, Brother Cornelius feels that the club could be more active. This semester he hopes to see it regain the prominent place which it has consistently held there past forty years.

Alumni Notes

NOMINEES

The report of the nominating committee of the Alumni board of directors was read at the February meeting of the board held Thursday evening, February 20, in San Francisco. The committee had met between the January and February meetings at the order of the president.

Following were the officers and directors chosen:

President, Edward J. McSweeney, '35; vice-president, Elton C. Lawless, '26; Recording Secretary, Edward M. Smyth, '38; Treasurer, rank P. Lynch, '29; Chaplain, Rev. Thomas S. Kane, 'ex 32.

Directors: George Arabian, Eugene Boyle, John J. Brophy, John B. Burke, Edward Cone, William J. Chow, Louis G. Conlan, William Davies, Spence J. Dickson, Joseph S. Englert, Thomas E. Feeney, William G. Fischer, Willard T. Gates, Cyril Gilfether, John L. Henderson, Sylvester L. Kelly, Justin Mahoney, Peter J. Markovich, John Maatta, William F. Meade, George V. McKeever, Robert J. McAndrews, Charles McInnis, Joseph C. Millett, Daniel J. O'Hara Jr., John L. Purcell, James E. Roberts, Garry Vivaldi, Robert F. Waters Jr., August E. Zipse.

AMONG THE CLASSES:

Class of 1880—Daniel Q. Troy, whose presence featured the 1946 Homecoming Day, spends his retired but active days of liesure in the city of Oakland. Does anyone know of an alumnus from an older class?

Class of 1898—James I. O'Dea, the retired executive of the San Francisco Hospital system, is still the regular attendant of Galloping Gael grid activities and a familiar figure at Catholic functions in San Francisco.

Class of 1899—John F. Mott, the retired Oaklander, is the father of Arthur J. Mott, 137 Northern California manager of the Los Angeles Downtown Shopping News, with offices at 406 Sutter street, San Francisco. The L. A. Shopping News is a national advertising concern.

Class of 1901—John T. Quarles, another retired alumnus, resides at 1323 Woolsey street, San Francisco.

Class of 1902—C. M. O'Connor, the Vallejo realtor, has offices at 628 Marin street.

Class of 1904—Andrew F. Burke, former president of the Alumni association, busy with legal affairs, maintains a law suite in the Hobart building, San Francisco.

Class of 1905—John J. Halloran, Arizona's most active alumnus, owns the Holloran-Benett Lumber company, in Phoenix.

Class of 1906—Albert T. Shine, the Oakland attorney and his son, Albert T. Shine, Jr., '37 for the Oakland legal firm of Shine and Shine.

Class of 1907—Harry B. Hooper, the famed outfielder of the Boston Red Sox, is the postmaster of Capitola, near Santa Cruz. Henry B. Hooper Jr., '39 is a Marine Air corps major, stationed in the Pacific theater of defense. John Hooper completed studies last month and will graduate next June.

Class of 1910—John J. Budd is a San Francisco merchant, with his business at 416 Mission street.

Class of 1916—J. Emmett Mc Namara continues his long period of service as the assessor of Merced county in the San Joaquin valley.

Class of 1920—Herbert B. Bronnor, deputy state controller of California, makes his headquarters room 137 of the state capitol in Sacramento.

Class of 1925—Louis H. Bill, '25 runs his engineering desk from 415 San Leandro boulevard in the city of the same name.

Class of 1931—Martin J. "Joe" Tierney, is division chief of the U. S. Internal Revenue department in San Francisco.

Class of 1935—John L. Purcell is in the insurance-real estate business at 4201 Geary boulevard, San Francisco.

Class of 1940—Edward P. McLaughlin is flying out of Chicago as pilot for the United Air lines.

Bernard Anthony Smith, D.D.S., has recently opened his dental offices in Oakland. After practicing for a while, he intends to do post-graduate work.

Class of 1943—Thomas G. Lyons, physician and surgeon, once of Stockton, has his medical offices at 2131 Third street, Los Angeles.

LENTEN SERVICES—Typical of the large crowds attending the many Lenten devotions is this large group of students. Father Moss, student chaplain, has expressed satisfaction with the overwhelming number of Saint Mary's men who are observing the Lenten season "in a true Catholic manner."

Boxing Matches Invite Students

All college student body card holders will be admitted at a reduced rate of 50 cents when San Francisco State College puglists tangle with Santa Barbara College fighters in a ten-bout program at the Coliseum Bowl, Eleventh near Market streets, Friday at 8 p.m.

Santa Barbara College has just returned from a successful boxing campaign in which they beat UCLA 5-2, and Cal Poly 4-2 with one draw. Highlighting San Francisco State College's schedule has been a 7-3 win over the University of Nevada and a tie with the University of California.

Jerry Donovan, referee, and Add Sandell and Dave Stephenson, judges, will officiate at the collegiate match.

GI Students' Questions Nearly Stump Experts

Utica, N. Y.,— —Even with eight expert psychological advisers on its staff, the Utica-Colgate Counseling Service has had to dig deep for answers to some of the questions it receives from war veterans.

Now in its second year, the service has found the answer to such questions as "what qualifications do I need to succeed as a dog trainer and where can I go to get my training?"

A ministerial student asked to be tested to see if he might do better as a beauty culture specialist. Still another veteran, aldeady a college graduate, wanted the service to find out whether he had the aptitudes for becoming a meat cutter.

East Bay Offices of VA to Close Sat.

Veterans Administration offices in the East Bay will close Saturday morning beginning with March 1, Mr. Herbert R. Kendall, manager of the Oakland sub-regional office, announced today.

Heretofore, offices have been open for business five and a half days a week. Expansion of facilities, Kendall said, have made it possible now to eliminate the extra half day in conformity with general government policy.

The VA office in Berkeley will continue to remain open evenings on Wednesdays and Fridays from 7 to 9 p.m. to serve only those veterans who are unable to call during regular business hours. Richmond and Oakland offices will remain open Tuesday and Thursday evening 7 to 9 p.m.

Trans-Arabia Pipe Contracts Awarded

Trans-Arabian Pipeline company today announced awarding of a series of contracts, including 1,050 miles of pipe, connecting Saudi-Arabia oil fields with the Ras Tanura refinery on the Persian Gulf.

The oil fields, among the largest in the world, are jointly owned by Standard Oil Company of California and the Texas company.

Trans-Arabian said orders had been placed with Consolidated Steel company, Los Angeles, for 980 miles of pipe and with the National Tube company, Pittsburgh, Pa., for 70 miles of pipe to be used in constructing the pipe line.

Another contract was awarded Bechtel Brothers, San Francisco and associates including the H. C. Price company, Bartlesville, Okla., for constructing about 600 miles of main pipe line and four pump stations at the eastern end.

Durango, Colo., —It took half a century for turkeys to return to the San Juan Basin. More than 50 years ago the wild turkeys, which once provided food for Indian tribes and settlers, began dying out in the basin.

The state fish and game department began making "plantings" in the area. Today the turkey population is on the increase and fish and game authorities predict that soon the fowl will provide good hunting for sportsmen.

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New Faculty Members Added

Two new additions to the faculty in the persons of Mr. Richard J. Bourke and Mr. W. Everett Grinnell were made recently.

Mr. Grinnell, a native of Michigan, is specializing in Mathematics and Statistics. He taught for a considerable number of years in the state of Michigan.

A veteran, Mr. Bourke served as a submarine Commander in the Pacific during the war. He is a graduate of Anapolis. At Saint Mary's he is teaching English Composition and Spanish.

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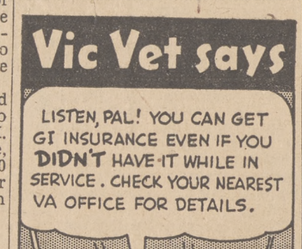

Phelan Contest Judges Disclosed

The trustees of the estate of the late Senator James D. Phelan announced today the judges to determine successful candidates for the Phelan Awards in Literature and Art for the year 1947. Those who will act as a committee of award in the field of poetry are Muriel Rukeyser, Howard Baker and Yvor Winters.

The award was provided for under the terms of a bequest made by the late Senator James D. Phelan to bring about a further development of native talent in California in the field of literature and art. This year there will be one award in poetry.

Applications for the award are being received from all parts of California and should be sent to the office of the James D. Phelan Awards in Literature and Art, 820 Phelan Building, San Francisco 2, on or before March 14, 1947. Applications must be made on forms especially provided for that purpose.

St. Mary's Club

REGULAR MEETING

The regular meeting of the Club was held on February 17th with Vice-President Frank Neary. Once again the members turned out in goodly numbers. It is gratifying to the officers of your club to have so many members who are faithful in attendance at the meetings. Everyone should keep a date for the third Monday of each month, and come to our meetings in the Master Plumbers Hall, 110 Page Street.

For the information of the members who were not present, the proposed dinner party for the night of February 17th has been called off because of the great amount of work necessary to put it over sucessfully. The Committee in charge had met earlier in the month and decided on the cancellation.

SAINT PATRICK'S DAY

Instead of the so-called dinner party for the ladies, it was decided to have some special entertainment and refreshments at our regular March meeting, which falls this year on Saint Patrick's Day, March 17th. Chairman Shaughnessy has made special arrangements for delicious corn-beef sandwiches with all the trimmings.

Edward McKeever has lined up several entertainment numbers, and through his efforts the Associated Oil Co. will favor us once again with movies of recent football highlights. If they are still available at that time, Marty Kordick may be able to provide films of some of last season's Gael football games. All in all, it promises to be an evening of enjoyment, and every member should plan now to be present at the meeting on Saint Patrick's Day, March 17th. The meeting will be strictly stag, and will be for members only.

HERE AND THERE

Welcome at our last meeting was Mr. Chas. Pohley, whose new duties in the interest of Chesterfield cigarettes prevents his attendance at many of the meetings.

Chairman Thos. Deasy has been working on the Big Brother Day, and will be able to render a report to the general membership at our next meeting.

Early signs of spring is the week-end trip of our popular members, Hap Kennedy, Jerry Nunan, and Russell Mather, to Boulder Creek.

Many members of the Club have been seen qualifying in the current City Golf Tournament. Among them being Messrs. Jim O'Donnell, McCann, Volpatti, Kehoe, Meyers and Neary. Good luck gentlemen. Hope you win one of those cups in the finals.

Our president, Frank Neary, was recently re-elected president of the Lincoln Park Golf Club, one of the oldest public golf clubs in the United States, having been formed about the year 1914. It is one of the few public golf clubs having its own club house.

The Library

Following is a list of new books that have been added recently to the library, according to Brother Clement, librarian:

"Congress of Vienna," by H. Nicolson.

"Truths Men Live By," by J. A. O'Brien.

"The Four Fold Vision," by F. S. Taylor.

"Preface to Religion," by F. J. Sheen.

"A Sketch of Medieval Philosophy," by D. J. B. Hawkins.

"Nationalism and Internationalism," by L. Sturzo.

"Whereon We Stand," by J. G. Brunini.

"Pius of Peace," by R. F. Walker.

"What Say You?" by D. Goldstein.

"The Amazing Electron," by J. I. Shannon.

"After Hitler, Stalin," by R. Ingrim.

"The Challenge of World Communism," by H. Fish.

"The Great Retreat," by N. S. Timasheff.

"The Saints That Moved the World," by R. Fulop-Miller.

"John Dryden," by M. Van Doren.

"Dante Alighieri," by Gerald Walsh.

"For All to Live By," by Leo G. Sterck.

"Three Worlds," by N. S. Timasheff.

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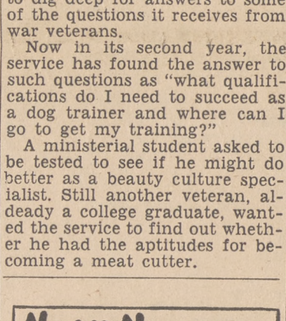
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Second Intersectional for Gaels!

Midwest Grid Foe to Be Announced Within 36 Hours

Announcement of a second intersectional football game for the Galloping Gaels next Fall will be made by Saint Mary's College within 36 hours!

The game already has been approved by the boards of athletic control of both schools and announcement of the game will be made simultaneously by the two schools, The Collegian learned last night.

CONTRACT ALREADY SIGNED

Not only has the intersectional game been approved but the contract already has been signed.

The latest Gael opponent is a Mid-western university and the game will be played in the Mid-west city on the weekend of November 1-2.

To avoid missing class time, the Gaels will fly to the Mid-west and also to Boston for the Boston College engagement on November 22.

9 GAMES SCHEDULED

Nine games are now on the Gael slate and one more probably will be added. The schedule:

September 21—Portland, at Kezar; September 28—open; October 4—California, at Berkeley; October 11—Washington, at Seattle; October 19—Nevada, at Kezar; October 24-25—Loyola, at Los Angeles; November 1-2—A Mid-west university, there; November 8—open; November 16—Santa Clara, at Kezar; November 22—Boston College, there; November 30—open; December 6—open. No date, as yet, has been set for the University of San Francisco game.

Gael Gossip

By **Dick Siggins,** Sports Editor

Baseball! What a life! The San Francisco Seals are doing their spring training at Hana, Maui. The Detroit Tigers are training in Florida. The New York Yankees are training in Bermuda. The Brooklyn Dodgers are in Havana for their vernal setting-up exercises. Lucky gents, those baseball players, old and young. Before and after their baseball chores, which they enjoy as much as anything else, they can loll in the tropical sun, play golf, go swimming or deep-sea fishing.

This spring Johnny Vergez is training his Phoenix in the Moraga valley. His team is being housed in the Saint Mary's college dormitories, large white edifices.

On lovely evenings, when the sun is sinking over the hills to the westward, Coach Vergez beckons to memory the days he himself spent in Havana with the New York Giants. He is now hitting infield and directing practice of 86 baseball aspirants, all eager to help Saint Mary's maintain her proud baseball record.

Chances are, Vergez may lead his nine to the top spot in the California Intercollegiate Baseball association race to start next month.

Spring training is just the beginning of the fun. The Phoenix will move from Moraga to Berkeley, to Oakland, to San Francisco, and to Los Angeles in quest of the CIBA crown.

They might . . . !

Tonight and tomorrow night our Gael basketballers play their final games of this campaign. Last evennig they left for Reno to entertain Nevada cage fans on successive nights.

The cagers might bring home two victories. They might be set back two times in a row; they might win one and lose one. These are three possibilities. There are no four ways about it.

It would be a nice thing for the basketball team to end the season with a small time win streak that was as large as any they have enjoyed all season.

You can't be too sure. These cagers might rise to such heights. But win, lose, or split even, this season will be over for our hoopsters.

The quintet will have played 30 games come Sunday morning. To date they have won 11 and lost 17.

Anyone who at the start of the basketball season had dared to predict that this year's outfit would not win more than half of its games would have been sent to the place where people are often heard to make strange statements.

"Why, you're as nutty as pecan candy," the fool would have been told. "The Gaels have the makings of a fine team."

That was the pre-season opinion of many sideline observers.

Of the numerous candidates that reported for early practice, there seemed to be an excellent choice of talented personnel. From a physical standpoint there seemed to be height, speed, quickness, and coordination. Mental and moral qualities also seemed to be there. The candidates seemed to possess mental alertness, dependability, and the ability to take it on the chin and to come back for more. They had determination and alertness, the most important ingredients of the "fighting spirit." The 1947 hoopsters were supposed to contain "explosiveness."

They had two of the bay area's finest cage artists. These boys had their own individual offensive styles.

These players used a system that was not adapted to them. Sound basketball seems to demand that the game be given back to the boys, upon the grounds that the coach's system should always be adapted to the players rather than the players fitted into a pet offensive system.

But there is no need to moan any more than is necessary to keep a little color in the game for we fans.

Last for Burke

Most Gael cage filberts have seen Billy Burke perform with the words "Saint Mary's" sewed on his basketball jersey for the last time. The two games in Reno will be his last for his Alma Mater.

Bill Burke will continue to play basketball and to win prestige for Saint Mary's. He will probably play with one of the top teams in the country next year.

Folks "who know" rate Burke the best college basketball player in the Bay Area. He is one of those rare cagers who makes the game easy to play. He seldom makes mistakes or takes a wild shot. He has one of the highest percentages in the Bay Area.

So far this season Burke has amassed 300 points playing both guard and forward.

An all coast guard in 1943 when he averaged better than 12 points per game, Bill entered the Navy and served in the American and Asiatic-Pacific Pacific theatres.

Cagers in Reno for 2 Final Contests

Captain Burke to Climax College Career Against Nevada Wolfpack

In Reno, Nevada, today are the Galloping Gael cagers to battle the University of Nevada Wolfpack in a pair of games tonight. With the two games, the Gaels will end their season.

Coach "Swede" Andersen, nine players, Trainer Billy Fallon and Manager Fred Mullen boarded a Reno-bound train last night in Oakland and were scheduled to arrive in Reno this morning.

The Wolf-pack will be seeking revenge for the 14-13 football deficit marked up against them by the Gaels last fall and will be out to cop both tilts in a double header.

WOLF PACK IS GOOD

Nevada is drawing to the close of a very successful season that includes 20 wins and nine losses. Among the teams that wound up on the long side of the ledger against the Wolves were such stalwarts as Duquesne, only undefeated team remaining in the country: Georgetown, Saint Joseph's, San Jose state, College of Pacific, and the University of San Francisco.

The State Spartans, who were bested in two games with the Gallopers, took the edge twice against Nevada. Wyoming soundly trounced Nevada and had difficulty with Saint Mary's.

The Wolves, however, have victories to show against USF, Pepperdine, and the Sacramento Senators, against the Gaels defeats by the same teams.

O'SHAUGHNESSY LEADS

The University of Nevada squad is led by Bob O'Shaughnessy, 1946 NAIB All-American, who drops them in from all over the court. O'Shaughnessy has amassed a total of 352 points this season. He is the top scorer in the West.

Playing opposite O'Shaughnessy at the other guard spot is Bill Moylan, who stands 6 ft. 3 in. and is a sharp contrast to O'Shaughnessy, who reaches only 5 ft. 11 in.

6 FT. 4 IN. CENTER

Holding down the pivot-spot is Hal Fischer, giant 6-4 center. At forwards are two men who are among the five leading scorers on the coast: Grant Davis, who has scored 306 points this season in 29 games, and Jimmy Melarkey, who has scored 294 points.

These first five are backed by Max Dodge, Beasley, Swedenborg, Graves, Read, Hayes, Paille, Knudson, Farnsworth, Nielsen and Gillis.

Gaels who made the trip include Frank "Apples" Kudelka, leading scorer for the Moragans with 346 points; Captain Bill "Biffer" Burke, playing his final game for the Red and Blue; Jack Rial, Dan Dalton, Paul Crowe, Bill Lau, Bob Hagler, Ernie Fagot and Hank Decker.

SWIMMING

Mermen Hold Time Trials

The college swimming pool was a hubbub of activity this week as Coach Maurice Bricault put his Gael natators through their first time trials in preparation for the first meet of the swim season March 20.

Coach Bricault was particularly encouraged by the performance of 220 yd. man Frank Glasa and distance man Gene DeSoto.

"DeSoto is showing smooth form, especially his glide, and will be our mainstay in the 440 yd. event. Glasa is one of our top men. He should do the 220 in fast time by the time of our first meet."

In the sprints Chuck Fredericks, Noward Goddard, and Jack Meyers are setting the pace. Diving coach Bob Bell has been sending his men through the paces in the one and three metre springboard diving events.

Positions are still open for aspiring mermen. Students with previous experience especially are urged to turn out for the team.

Those Moraga Wolves Are Back Again!

By JACK BUICK

The traditional Moraga Wolves basketball team of Saint Mary's returned last week to take over the undisputed pinnacle of being the most colorful athletic organization on the campus.

Although Coach Frank Carillo's gridiron stars started the season with a hard tackling 66-42 defeat to the powerful Cedar Brothers' Rex Club, the estimated crowd of 3500 which jammed Martinez Union High school were thrilled at the court antics and tactics of Herman Wedemeyer, Al Puliz, Joe Suarez, Matt Petrlich, and the other Wolves in scanty-clad clothing.

TEAM WITH TRADITION

Ed Ryan, former all-Canadian forward, and Henry Van Gieson, a Wolf from the islands, split scoring honors with 16 points each. The backboard control of Ray Rugani, Joe Rubio and Willie Modroin offset the spotty ball handling. The half-time score was 27-26.

Following a custom dating back more than a quarter of a century, the Moraga Wolves is a squad composed of footballers who in off-season perform against outside independent teams with the casaba instead of the pigskin. This is for their own enjoyment, the chagrin of the opposition, and the merriment of blood-thirsty audiences.

Such renowned Gaels as Johnny Podesto, Andy Marefos, Marty Kordick, Joe Aguirre, George Zubey and George Arabian have strutted and capered for the Wolves in the past.

CARRILLO DISAPPOINTED

Endeavoring to uphold the honored record of their glorious history, Coach Carillo expressed bitter disappointment on dropping the first engagement.

"We lost fair and square, and I'm mighty proud of the boys who played, but in the Rex Club we met a team that couldn't miss from the floor. That factor, coupled with the poor condition of the squad crippled by the absence of Bill McPartland, due to domestic affairs, and Captain Frank Callan and Bill Zambresky, both still recovering from the Freshmen Welcome dance, accounts for our unimposing initial effort."

When questioned concerning future contests, Carillo replied, "No adversary is too much for the Wolves. We will take on all antagonists provided traveling expenses are defrayed and a sufficient number of medics are on hand. Also, entertainment after the game will not be frowned upon."

GOOD FOR 18 POINTS

After the game, genial Captain Frank Callan, a two-year circle block "MW" veteran, stated:

"I was extremely disappointed that I was not able to assist my cohorts—as I'm usually good for 18 points on an ordinary night. Anyway, it was a cleanly played exhibition with a minimum of bloodshed. Tell my fans that I'll be ready for the next outing."

Aggressive Johnny Johnson who left the game on personal fouls, commented while taking an early shower:

"This being my first year on the Moraga Wolves quintet, I am extremely grateful to be romping in their colors. My pugnacious style of play in tonight's defeat was brought about through sheer enthusiasm to do my best. My failure to score was the consequence of feeding the ball to Wedemeyer instead of letting fly myself."

Quoted Wedemeyer: "Wait till Cordeiro is back with us."

BASEBALL

Phoenix Play Here Twice

Baseball takes on a full time schedule next week when the Phoenix meet Hamilton Field and San Jose State here on Tuesday and Thursday, respectively.

Not much is known about either of these two clubs. Coach Johnny Vergez indicated that anything can be expected.

Vergez has not announced a starting lineup, but it is believed that he will send Brian McGoldrick to the mound against the Flyers, and Bob Trestler against the Spartans.

The varsity has been reduced to 29 baseballers, and will be cut again to 25 men.

MANY SUBSTITUTIONS

Constant substitutions will be made in the games next week, because no positions has been set.

"It is certainly difficult to pick out baseball talent from all of the fellows that have turned out for the squad," expressed the Phoenix coach.

"However, you know those who want to make good by their hustle and disposition."

Vergez claims that he is pleased with the pitching staff, headed of course by the right-hander from Saint Peter's high school in San Francisco, Jack Rial. He is pleased with the work of his two catchers, Ray White and Bob Day.

"The infield should be good and fast. The outfielders will be able to handle themselves.

OUTSTANDING CANDIDATES

Outstanding candidates for the infield positions are Danny Galvin, shortstopper of last season's nine; Jack Buick, shortstop of the Phoenix in 1943, the last year that Saint Mary's was in the CIBA race; Lil Arnerich, Bob Kling, Tom Lorenzini, and Ray Herold.

Arnerich is a highly recommended infielder from Oakland. Last summer he was chosen by the Oakland newspapers to represent his city in an all-star game in Chicago.

Good looking flychasers include Billy Brown from San Francisco; Babe Van Heuitt, football and baseball player from Berkeley; Ed Ryan and Dick Piedmonte, lettermen from last season, and Herman Wedemeyer.

LORENZINI STARS

Tom Lorenzini and Wedemeyer seem to have their positions settled. During last week's practice sessions, the powerful first baseman of last season's nine was belting line drives in all directions. Lorenzini's slugging has been one of the highlights of the spring training.

Vergez declined to compare this year's team with the one he coached last season in his first year of college tutoring because the baseball turnout this spring was much greater.

The former Oakland manager and big league infielder admires the spirit of the club. "The competition for all positions has made all applicants bring out their best qualities. I cannot name a first string as yet, for I do not know whom to choose.

"I look forward to a good season, for I consider this team to be one of the best that Saint Mary's has fielded in a long time."

INTRAMURAL

Tourney in Full Swing

Participation in the intramural basketball league continued throughout the week in the field house as each of the 19 teams saw action at least once.

The tournament, divided into two leagues by Intramural manager Bob Cook, has so far produced two strong teams that could possibly be considered as favorites.

Vic Cuccia's Rough and Readies held the San Francisco Clippers to one field goal as they completely overwhelmed the struggling San Franciscans, 32-6.

The Panda Bears, coached by John Russo, and captained by Johnny Johnson during Russo's leave of absence, has become the top contender for the crown in the Red league. They are undefeated in three starts.

Ernie Jorge Gets Post at Pacific

Ernie Jorge, former Gael gridiron star, has been recently appointed to the post of assistant football coach of the College of Pacific.

Jorge, after graduating from Saint Mary's became football coach of Christian Brother's High School in Sacramento.

He then moved to Modesto where he won 38 out of 55 games in six years.

Jorge takes up his new duties when COP begins spring practice next month.

54-47

Cagers Lose To Broncos

Santa Clara scored its second straight victory over the Gael hoopsters last Friday evening in San Jose Civic Auditorium before 3500 spectators. The Broncos overcame an early Saint Mary's lead and went on to win the game, 54-47, and also the annual series.

Dick O'Keefe, classy Bronco guard, led Santa Clara with 19 points, as the high flying cagers scored their 20th victory in 24 starts.

EARLY LEAD

With their fast break working to perfection, the Moraga Marauders jumped to an early 10-3 lead, but were tied by the slow starting Broncos, and left the court at intermission trailing, 28-22.

Frank Kudelka carried the scoring burden for Saint Mary's with 16 points. Captain Billy Burke was second with 12.

RIAL FOULS

Frank Laney trailed O'Keefe for Bronco scoring honors with 12 digits. Laney, the high scorer of the Santa Clara team, failed to make a field goal over the close guarding of Jack Rial. He scored three quick baskets after Rial was removed from the game with five personal fouls.

Mails Drumbeats For Sports Arena

Walter "The Great" Mails, former Saint Mary's pitcher, who graduated to the Pacific Coast and major league stardom, has been appointed to the position of press representative for the new $1,500,000 Golden Gate Garden to be built in San Francisco.

BASEBALL

11 Games for Jr. Varsity

An 11-game schedule has been carded for John McDermott's junior varsity baseball team, it was announced yesterday. A few more games will be added to the slate, it was reported.

Concord at Concord on Sunday, March 9, will be the first tilt for the Gaelets. Remainder of the slate follows:

March 15—Santa Clara, here.
March 29—At California.
April 14—San Mateo J. C., here.
April 26—At California.
April 29—California, here.
April 30—At Stanford.
May 3—At Santa Clara.
May 10—At U.S.F.
May 20—At Stanford.
May 24—U. S. F., here.

Coach McDermott, who also tutored the backfield of the junior varsity football team under Tony Bilotti, holds daily practice on the newly created jayvee diamond adjacent to the varsity field.

"Spike" Is Here

Track Schedule Set by Kordick

Opener May Be 3-Way Modesto Meet April 12

Unveiling of Gael track and field performers in intercollegiate competition probably will take place on April 12 at Modesto, according to Coach Marty Kordick.

A three-way meet featuring the Olympic Club, Modesto Junior College, and Saint Mary's tracksters has been proposed for that date at Modesto, Kordick said. A decision is expected within a few days.

APPEAR IN S. F.

First local public appearance of the Moraga Valley cinder gallopers is set for Saturday, April 26, at Kezar Stadium where the Gaels will compete against San Francisco Junior College.

An invitation has been extended by the two schools to a traditional Gael rival, the University of San Francisco, to participate in the same meet.

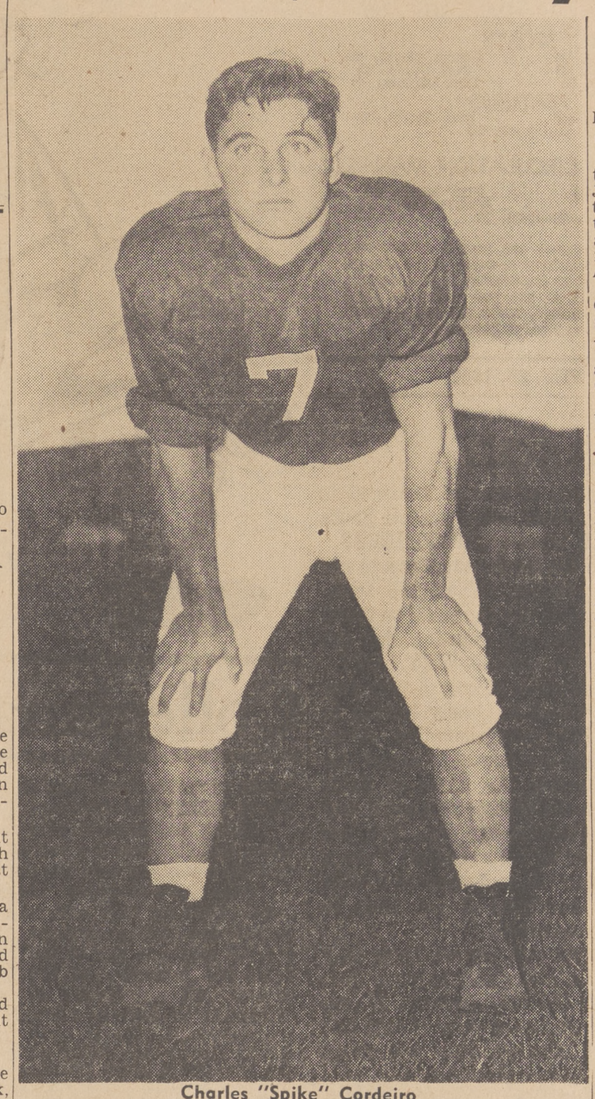
The Gaels will compete in the California relays at Berkeley on May 3 and probably in the Fresno relays on May 17 and the Modesto relays on May 24.

Moraga Valley thin-clads will end their season with the annual P.A.A. meet at Berkeley on June 7.

DAVENPORT TO ASSIST

Assisting Coach Kordick next week will be Mr. Fred P. Davenport, faculty member and a former half-miler at Texas Tech during his undergraduate days.

After a week of daily practice sessions on the James M. Smith oval, Kordick expressed satisfaction with the spirit and determination of his new proteges.



Charles "Spike" Cordeiro

'Spike' Cordeiro Returns!

Army Releases Whiz Kid

Charles Albert "Spike" Cordeiro is back at Saint Mary's!

Private "Spike," who was the rage of the Far West in 1945 when he played right halfback on Jimmy Phelan's Sugar Bowl team, is on terminal leave from Fort Benning, Georgia.

But the diminutive runner, dubbed the "Flying Hawaiian," enrolled this week in his high freshmen classes. He was a paratrooper prior to his release from active service last Friday.

MOST EXPLOSIVE RUNNER

Cordeiro was the most explosive runner on the Pacific Coast in 1945. He was the leading ground-gainer of the Whiz Kids with a phenomenal 7.5 yards per carry average.

After his brilliant defensive play in the Sugar Bowl against Oklahoma A. and M., the 5-foot, 5-inch scatback was considered the outstanding intercollegiate freshman player of that season.

NO. 7 PUT ASIDE IN '46

Cordeiro was the No. 7 of the famous "7-11" combination that wrote football history on the Pacific Coast. The number was not used by the Gaels last season.

Born and reared in Honolulu, he has been a close friend of Herman Wedemeyer all his life.

Cordeiro weighs 10 pounds more than he did in his first year of college football. He still keeps the 5-feet, 5-inches of height, but now weighs 165 pounds, instead of 155.

SCORING

Burke Joins Select '300'

Captain Bill Burke's 12 points against Santa Clara last Friday night enabled the classy guard to become the second player in Saint Mary's basketball history to score 300 points in one season.

Burke now has amassed an even 300 digits in 27 games for a fine average of 11.1 points per contest.

Frank Kudelka, sensational forward, continued to keep up the pace that he has set all season by tanking 16 points against the Broncos. His seasonal total has zoomed to 346 points in 28 contests for the team's leading average of 12.4 markers per game.

Kudelka was the first cager to break into the select "300" when he scored 26 points against the University of California three weeks ago. His tallies thereafter have been increasing the Gael seasonal scoring record.

K. C.'s Plan Prep Basket Tourney

The Oakland Chapter of the Knights of Columbus will sponsor a Northern California Catholic high school basketball tournament on March 9, 10, 11 and 13.

This four day tournament should bring together top-flight competition from Catholic prep teams of neighboring towns, it was announced by Mr. Edward Cone, English instructor at Saint Mary's, and prominent member of the K. C's.

Expected to enter are the basketball teams of Saint James in San Francisco, current leaders in the CCAL; Bellarmine in San Jose; Saint Joseph's of Alameda; and Sacred Heart and Saint Peter's high schools of San Francisco.

Kordick And Spikesters Need Help Tomorrow

Help!

That's what Marty Kordick, Gael track coach, wants tomorrow on the James M. Smith oval.

Coach Kordick and his spikesters operated with pick, shovel and hoe on the track last Saturday and would like to finish the job tomorrow. But the track and field lads need. . .

Help!

So, don old togs tomorrow, fellows, and lend a helping hand to Coach Kordick, Harry Appleton, and the Gael thinclads. Report for action at 9:00 a. m.

GOLF

Markovich Again Tutors

Commencing next week the Gael golfers will trek to the Richmond municipal golf course, home grounds for the Gaels, where daily tryouts will be held to determine this season's sextet. Again the Gaels will be under the tutelage of Pat Markovich, Richmond club pro.

Unlike last season, when a complement of six men comprised the turnout, there are a dozen club wielders hoping to win positions on this season's team.

Anyone desirous of trying for a berth on the team must first give his name to the athletic office. All players must furnish their own equipment for these practice sessions, but in tournament play the college will furnish golf balls and tees, according to Marty Kordick, minor sports director.

Berths on the team will be garnered in match play, which elimination will take place in one month. Markovich will be present to give advice on stance and swing, with added instructions as requested by individual members. When the sextet has been formed, seeding will be follow by further match play, Kordick said.

The Gael golf schedule is based on a home and home basis with San Jose state, San Francisco state, Santa Clara, U.S.F., California, Stanford and various junior colleges.

Jack Christiensen, who captained last year's squad, leads the list of returnees.

McPartland Signs With Green Bay

Big Bill McPartland, 215 pound tackle, has signed a contract to play football for the Green Bay Packers in the National Professional Football league next season.

McPartland played with Gael varsity football teams in 1941, '42, and '46. At the end of last season he was chosen as the outstanding lineman in the bay area by the Northern California Football Writers' Association.

Married and the father of a baby girl, McPartland will remain in school until he graduates in June.

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There Must be a Reason

During the past two weeks a situation on the campus has been coming to a head which has been stressed in two previous editorials in this newspaper. This week sees its continuance with little or no indication that it is improving itself. We refer as usual to LACK OF COOPERATION IN EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES on the part of the students.

It's the same old story. So old, perhaps, that less than half of you will read past this paragraph. Guilty consciences?

This week a communion breakfast was held in San Francisco for all the students in schools of the CIC. About nine representatives of Saint Mary's attended. Perhaps it would be an undue hardship on a great many of the boarders to attend, but it would hardly be any difficulty for the great number of San Franciscans at home for the weekend. Our participation in CIC activities has been practically nil, and only one of our three representatives has consistently attended its functions. We have yet to hold a CIC activity under our sponsorship since we have gone into post-war activities. WHY NOT?

The editorial staff of the Collegian humbly apologizes for the fact that the students' copies of the paper were not delivered to the rooms last Thursday. There were not enough men on the campus who could give aid to the three students who distributed four thousand copies of the paper by their efforts alone. WHY NOT?

Only a handful of rooters managed to attend the basketball game against Santa Clara. WHERE WERE THE OTHERS?

It was up to the faculty members to get the Eire Oge rolling. Of all the Irishmen on the campus not one could be found to get the defunct and amusing club out of its wartime hibernation. WHY NOT?

Those are examples of only a very few of the things which are sadly lacking in participation. The administration offers every aid within its power to assist the students in keeping the name of Saint Mary's high in the esteem of alumni and boosters. We must do our part. You are afraid of neglecting your studies? Take a look at the honor roll, and compare it with the Collegian masthead if you wish to have your fears allayed.

We can't coerce you, we can apply only to your common sense and to your feeling of duty as Catholic students. If you feel you owe nothing to your college but complaint and lethargy, then pay those debts. You hurt yourselves far more than others. The college can carry its name on the shoulders of a few who in later life will provide your city and even your country with the added little things to make it more livable and enjoyable. Meanwhile you sit at home wondering what became of your friends and why you haven't anything to do but read your newspaper and worry how you are going to get along on your meager income and why you are unable to supplement it.

Correct Procedure a Necessity

A revolutionary change in rules of conduct seems to be taking shape during the Ex-Council meetings of late. The new manner in which meetings of the student governing body are conducted admits of the necessity for the formalities of the somewhat old-fashioned, but still practical system of parliamentary procedure.

Last Monday's meeting eloquently displayed the fact that the council will have to conduct its meetings much more efficiently in the future in order to conduct its business within the short time of 40 minutes a week it has allotted itself. If a more orderly meeting is conducted, it is possible that the members can concentrate more readily on the matter at hand.

There was too much confusion in the meeting this week. A motion which was entirely out of order caused almost complete chaos among our honored representatives until a singular mind hit upon the obvious solution.

Another situation nearly cost the students $300 without proper investigation. A motion that $300 be advanced as working capital for the construction of a darkroom was nearly brought to a vote because of the obscureness of its working and the lack of attention displayed by the Ex-Council members.

Congrats to Bob Cook

Hearty commendation should go to Bob Cook, intramural manager, for the good showing his Spring program is making so far. He is working harder and longer than any of his predecessors in that job, and deserves credit accordingly.

There has not been so much interest in an intramural league in recent years, and the efficient scheduling done by Cook is in a great measure responsible for its success. Running three games a day is no task to be lightly approached, and the Collegian wishes to congratulate him upon his spirit in carrying on his plans after such early criticism as he encountered.

If the other activities on campus were possessed of such interested leadership, things would be much better.

Moraga Musings

THE DADDY OF THEM ALL . . . Frank Carillo, knocking himself out over his becoming somebody's uncle, while Frank Callan was trying to squelch him by claiming that he was the uncle of a dozen kids. Whereupon John McDermott claimed that Callan was old enough to be the father of them all.

IF YOU'VE GOTTA GOAT, YOU GOTTA . . . Was someone trying to kid Johnny Vergez or just trying to get his goat last Monday when baseball practice was stymied while a nanny goat chewed up the pitcher's mound, Bob Day's shin guards, and made a pass at second base. When last seen the goat was one stride ahead of the cook, heading towards Orinda.

GRAPEVINE GOSSIP . . . Vague rumors are flying that the "Blond Baron of Basketball" might return from that Renowed town in Nevada with the "Blonde Baroness." Who knows!!

CAESAR SEIZES (ALMOST) . . . Doc Lefevre's morning history class was rudely aroused from its lethargy when over the ether came the claim that J. Caesar had made a pass at an Irish damsel. This startling revelation occurred when Julius came upon a river in Italy . . . and proposed to Bridgett. (Yuk, yuk, yuk.)

LISTEN, BUDDY, I WAS IN THE SERVICE AN' I AINT GOT NO TIME FOR ALL OF THIS "RAH" "RAH"-COLLEGE BOY STUFF, AN' ALL OF THIS C.I.C. AN' CLUB BUNK ETC. ETC....
BILL Stout

Collegiana

by JERRY MURPHY

LINES FOR THE LAST DAY OF THE FIRST MONTH OF SPRING

Spring and summer were short this year . . . the rains came, and that was the end of all that; and the only people that got a sunburn were the skiers!

Some sights of Spring: The very shiny coupe parked in the shade of the big Navy pool, with feet protruding from beneath said chassis. . .with radio playing, for sure. . .a few of the frosh still a-muggin' at the eachers and a-squawkin' at evertyhing in general—debits on the credit side of early spring. . .the forlorn notice on the huge Frosh dorm bulletin board advertising used textbooks, mute proof that another semester has swished its way into academic history. . . the Brothers Buckingham switching their allegiance from fotoball to baseball with the turn in the weather. . .Bill Prestidge trying to prove he is really awake as a class in Shakespeare hits the sunny patio for a drowsy session with the Bard. . ."Buz" of milk counter fame, being even cheerier than usual as the birds chirp happily outside his steamy dining hall workhouse. . .

THE SILENT MANY

Bruce Tovey is a quiet type . . .you'll never see his name on those lists of people that other people keep so they can remember never to have anything to do with them—like the ones that the younger Lamp has achieved so handsomely these past two weeks by trying to prove he is at least better than you or anyone else around here. . .Bruce will never step on anybody's toes. . .and on the other hand, he wont shake anybodys hand for a favor, either. . .so you never hear a lot about a guy like Bruce, or about the half a thousand others like him. . .the quiet many that come to school to get an education, and dont worry about the opinons of others while doing same. . .the silent many that are the core of this thing they call 'Spirit', although they would never admit it—and Bruce will not, if you ask him today when you read this. . .for the proverb that the still water runs deep..

THE AGONIES OF LIFE

That harowing, spine-chilling, gruesome, blood-curdling ringing of the dormitory bells in the wee dawning when Brother Albert feels the need of reminding his gentlemen that Mass awaits them. . .the more than slight disgust at the sight of The Great Banker acting like his affected fatigues are just one more charitable condescending motion towards the comfort of us lower classes. . .wondering if the milk you have on your breakfast cereal is what you are apprehnding so uneasily with your floyactory nerves as you walk to your table. . .and then finding out—ugh!

The panicky feeling pou experience when you count up the days left until mid-terms begin—all eleven of them!—and wonder when you'll get your textbooks in the courses you are taking. . .the oh-so-lazy-feeling you always get, just about the time you have talked somebody else into cutting out and going to the show with you. . .poetic justice, no doubt. . .

THE SPITTOON OF THE WEEK:

Goes to the Ski club as a whole, and to some of its members in particular. . .for the strictly uncagy manner in which the past weekends have been handled up in the snowtops. . .as if its members did not realize that a sprain in somebody's ankle is not nearly as painful as a sprain in the reputation of the student body; and for the two girls who left a pair of ski-Gaels high and dry in the middle of a dance floor up there, this column gives a rousing cheer for their good taste. . .because the actions of one or two or three (oh, there just coooooodn't be more! has already given the club a name it will not live down in this semester at least. . .and if the mob begins to get the cold shoulder at Dominican college next Friday night, let us all remember our snowy-brained compatriots of the timber-line and timber heads. . .

THE WAY THAT THE WIND BLOWS TODAY

Insiders claim that more than the semester will end, come the spring thaws and the finis to classes. . .Brother Austin will finish his term as president, some students will graduate, and some will quit and maybe the exodus will carry over into some hitherto unexpected fields. . .

SIGHTSCENING:

The gaunt ghosts of another day, the wind-swept barracks of a hurly-burly Preflight regime. . .wooden tombstones over the graves of memories; the scrawny redwood between the Library and Dane Hall, with a brass plate at its shrubby base: "Sesqui-centenial of the Confirmation of the National Constitution, 1789—1939" planted there—but who knows by whom or why?

Frantic intramural captains, pursuing anything that moves and does not either bark or chirp while doing so. . ."semi-pro" rates in the basketball league. they say, run from one carton of cigarettes to a fin, per game. . .

Brother Lambert, a shot in the local educational arm. . .

The unexpectedly big turnout for the CIC breakfast last Sunday. ..yes, Saint Mary's had only a corporal's guard, per usual. . .which proves something, but let's not say it while the sun is still shining so nicely these days. . .

Looking at that aerial on the cross of the Brothers' study . . .and having all sorts of people agree that it should come down, sometime, somehow, and somebody—"yeah, somebody, but I' tôo busy"—should do it. . .

And this is college, on the last day of February. . .

The Bystander

by BERT CALLEN

PROLOGUE

Two students, dressed in shorts and sweat shirts, were walking in close conversation one afternoon this week on their way to the gymnasium. One was listening, nodding his head, the other, gesticulating wildly was wrapped in his own speech. As they passed me I heard him saying, "But if the school would only wake up and get these things going . . ."

REFLECTION

I thought then how many times I had said the same thing. When coming upon a student project lacking either in spirit, personnel, or equipment, it was to be the best way of sloughing off to somebody else a job essentially mine as part of the student body, but unwelcome to me.

But after a little honest reflection I found that when people, or esprit de corps or anything else is found wanting in any endeavor whatsoever, it is not our duty to fling the blame on a group physically and necessarily removed from that we wish to mend and perfect. That which we would improve upon is essentially, basically ourselves, we being the unit of the student society.

For example, we cannot argue justifiably that the members of the administration should compel us by force to say grace before and after our meals in order to make the practice more widespread than it is. This is a Catholic college, and as such its students should gladly and voluntarily return thanks to God for His gifts of the table.

We are old enough, I am sure, to realize that the blame for what is deficient lies with us and by us it should be corrected, not by those whose job it is to guide and direct our education and recreation.

So just as we do not wait for someone to tell us our ears are dirty before we clean them, so also should we not stand stupidly around and wait for the Administration or any other guiding body to take us by the hand and tell us how to do that which should function naturally and without prompting.

Because of these things it is a waste of time and energy to spend one's hours in idle speculation and in disturbing another's peace of mind in going over anything a little common sense will uncover to be ultimately our own shortcoming.

This should not be taken to mean everyone is personally answerable to every complaint that arises; but it does mean each one of us, being of the student body, has an obligation to try to mend the break before he assumes his right to complain about it.

I think all of the above is self-evident, but there it is again; now to go on.

AND MORAL

The alarming and dangerous aspect of someone implying to someone else a responsible body's so called 'we don't care' attitude, whether it be the ExCouncil or the intra-mural committee or any other group, is the frustration that is bred thereby, along with its resulting discontent.

Now, a healthy attitude toward solving such problems is to go personally to those whom you know to be concerned with the group in question, tell them what you have found wrong and give them your suggestions.

It's about time we all realize advice is not given away for nothing. And in this case, if you do not follow advice, then for the sake of Justice don't say anything detrimental about that which you haven't enough interest in to give a helping hand.

We should neither ask for nor expect appropriations and gifts to flow from the administration building as if it were an inexhaustible Horn of Plenty. What we are to call our own accomplishments we must do with what we have—enough in itself—and with our own resourcefulness.

Only if these are not sufficient can we in all fairness complain of our lot, and then not secretively, but openly so that some constructive work can be done.

Let's be serious about this for a while now that we realize acting like children has gotten us nowhere.

On the Level

by FR. EDMUND MOSS

On last Saturday this nation celebrated the birthday of its first and most illustrious president, George Washington. Throughout the country celebrations were held extolling the virtues, the vision, and the vitality of the first president. Amid all of the columns of copy turned out in commemoration of Washington's natal day, there was one which I think is worthy of mention.

The newspaper writer did not take credit for the quotation for he said it was taken from the "Life of Washington" written by Washington Irving. The quotation is as follows:

WASHINGTON'S ADDRESS

"The General is sorry to be informed that the foolish and wicked practice of profane cursing and swearing, a vice hitherto little known in our American army, is growing in fashion. He hopes that the officers will, by example as well as influence, endeavor to check it and that both they and the men will reflect that we can little hope for the blessing of heaven on our army if we insult it by our impiety and folly. Added to this, it is a vice so mean and low without any temptation that every man of sense and character detests and despises it."

(Signed)
George Washington

These words were penned by the Commander-in-Chief of the Continental Army when his gallant little band of men was battling the haughty British to a standstill. If today we are enjoying the fruits of the sacrifice of these brave men, we can thank God for it. No doubt Almighty God was pleased with the General's remarks concerning "the vice hitherto little known in our American Army."

SERVICE HABIT

Many of you, by virtue of your experience in the service, have developed the habit of profanity. You have brought it back to civilian life with you, and now you find that it has become part o fyour vocabulary. Some time when you are in polite society, you are going to forget yourself for a moment and make a blunder which you will regret all the days of your life.

One of the most profane men in the last war was General George S. Patton. His profanity was almost a tradition among soldiers. Those officers who knew Patton claim that he was essentially a good-living man, but his rough and uncouth language betrayed him.

On one ocasion when he was called upon to address a gathering of over one hundred thousand persons in Los Angeles, General "Blood and Guts" Patton forgot himself, but only for a moment. In that one moment however, he lost much of the respect and honor which he otherwise deserved. One writer commenting on the General's talk wrote:

PATTON ERRED

"Never in our country's history has there been such a public profanation of the name of God. One could even sense the protest within the hearts of the people and in many sections of the large audience audible resentment was expressed. General George Washington and General John Pershing always held that name in high reverence. We trust that the General, whom we admire and respect for his daring exploits and achievements in this war, will hereafter remember his moral obligation to the youth of America."

It is doubtful if many of you will ever address an audience of one hundred thousand, but you will meet people in ordinary conversation whom you will impress, either for good or for bad. It will be a bad impression if every other word is an oath or a profane use of God's Holy Name. Remember, you may think it manly to use profanity to impress others, but if you, do recall the words of Washington addressed to his men:". . . it is a vice so mean and low, without any temptation, that every man of sense and character detests and despises it."

Senior Sketch

by DAN ARZAC

According to several of our gallant Gaels, their most rabid fan has been senior class president Ray Rugani. This goes for the baseball and basketball teams, as well as for the football team. He alone constituted the student rooting section at the Fordham game, he has gone south for all of the grid meets, and he missed the Oil Bowl game only because weather conditions last January caused all scheduled flights east to be grounded.

Ray, who is affability personified, is the son of one of the state's most prominent agricultural leaders. Born in Stockton, he is a graduate of the public schools of that town, except for eight months' schooling under a tutor during his childhood visits to Rome and Florence. He came to Saint Mary's in 1939 directly from high school, and remained here until 1941.

THROUGH THE RANKS

Ray has the distinction of having been the first Saint Mary's man to enter the armed services. His number was the second drawn in the first draft, but he was deferred in order to be allowed to complete his semester of schooling.

After having served in the 7th Motorized Infantry Division, where he attained the grade of first sergeant, he went on to OCS at Fort Benning, Georgia. Commissioned as a second lieutenant, Infantry, he saw the rest of his service in the 8th Infantry Division. After serving as platoon leader and executive officer in a heavy weapons company, including a period on Tennessee and desert maneuvers, he was promoted to captain and given the command of Division Headquarters Company.

DECORATED

Overseas Rugani spent almost six months in Ireland and England. It was here that he served two weeks in the British Army, on an exchange of personnel basis. He claims that this was one of the most interesting of his wartime experiences.

After landing in Normandy on D-plus 28 on the Cherbourg peninsula, his outfit moved through France to Germany. It is here he collected the huge Nazi banner which decorates the whole of one wall in his room in Senior Dorm. He also added four battle stars to his EAM ribbon, besides receiving the Bronze Star.

ECON MAJOR

After being separated from the Army Rugani returned to Saint Mary's in July, 1945. He is at present majoring in economics and minoring in philosophy, economics and education. During his junior year he was elected class representative to the Ex-Council, and in 1946 to the presidency of the senior class. He is an active member of the Dante Club and of the Knights of Columbus. He has at all times been a fervent participant in the intramural sports program, and is at present playing softball.

Ray is known for his generosity and his friendliness. He is known to have lost his temper on but one occasion which displayed that he has no use for bad drivers. This particular time he pulled out ahead of the culprit after giving him a verbal lashing of the type only an old top sergeant can give. Then, too, his weight gives added force to his opinions. In fact, Rugani says he can lose this weight (250 pounds) at will, simply by not eating bread and by consuming large quantities of a variety of salads.

Ray has roomed with Bill Pine and, at present, with John McDermott. He is said to be almost a confirmed bachelor, but then, who isn't when he's young?

The men whose names appear below are requested to be in the Sacristy and vested for services at least five minutes before the Mass is to begin.

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